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Dean Matsuura
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Re: Docket No. 2008-0083 - Application of Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. for
Approval of Rate Increases and Revised Rate Schedules and Rules

Dear Mr. Matsuura:

To assist the commission staff in its review of the referenced docket, please respond to
the enclosed information requests as soon as reasonably possible.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 586-2020.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kaiulani Kidani Shinsato".

Kaiulani Kidani Shinsato
Commission Counsel

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Enclosure

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Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc.
Information Requests

PUC-IR-101

Please provide an update on the Reverse Osmosis ("RO") water pipeline from Campbell Industrial Park to Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc.'s ("HECO") Kahe Power Plant and related facilities ("RO Water Pipeline"), which was approved in Docket No. 05-0146. Specifically, is the RO Water Pipeline currently "used and useful," and if so, please justify HECO's response. If not, please provide the expected in-service date for the RO Water Pipeline.